

OUTPOST is an artist run gallery based in Norwich. It was founded in November 2004 with financial support from Arts Council England East, Norfolk County Council, Norwich City Council and Norwich Gallery. OUTPOST is committed - in a region with few such venues - to the uncompromising presentation of contemporary art, resulting in a core programme of 12 exhibitions per year - selected from the membership archive and a wider remit - each exhibition opening on the 1st of each month. A programme of events is also run that includes film nights, critical forums, group exhibitions and artists' talks. Its operating systems limit committee members to two years service to ensure that selection and organisational processes are prevented from becoming stale.

OUTPOST runs an artist membership scheme. The annual fee of £15 parallels the expenses provided to invigilators, meaning that each member's subscription effectively keeps the gallery open for one day. A days invigilation can be provided in lieu of payment. Artist members may also submit material to the members' archive; a source from which exhibitions can be selected and independent curators can gain a greater knowledge of members' works. The archive is physically housed at OUTPOST and an index of material will be placed on line. The artist membership functions as a mutually supporting network. Long distance members are welcomed, as one of the founding aims of OUTPOST is to present work of national relevance. A patron membership scheme is also run at a cost of £30 per year allowing a 10% discount on any works purchased. Membership support for OUTPOST is invaluable, extending beyond the financial and ensuring that a credible context for contemporary art in Norwich is recognised and sustained.

MEMBERSHIP DETAILS

Invitations to join OUTPOST are extended to artists and patrons.
Members are encouraged to assist in the realisation of exhibitions.
Long distance members are welcome.

An Artist Member may:

- Submit documentation of their work to the archive and be considered for exhibition opportunities.
- Nominate other artists to exhibit.
- Nominate themselves for election to the steering committee which has a maximum of eight persons.
- Receive discounts for OUTPOST events.
- Invigilate exhibitions and receive £15 expenses per day.
- Receive regular communications, including details of exhibitions, events, opportunities and invitations to openings.

A Patron Member may:

- Receive 10% discount on any work purchased through OUTPOST.
- Receive discounts for OUTPOST events.
- Receive regular communications, including details of exhibitions, events, opportunities and invitations to openings.
- Be named and thanked on the OUTPOST website (unless otherwise requested).

Please complete and return the attached form to:



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Membership Application Form

Name: _____
Address: _____
_____ Postcode: _____
Telephone number: _____ Email: _____
Artist / Patron membership (please delete as applicable)

Please enclose a cheque made payable to 'OUTPOST' for £15 (artist) or £30 (patron).
I understand that membership entitles me to the relevant benefits listed above.
Please photocopy and distribute this leaflet to any interested parties.